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No. 9 Water Street.

A NEW "EXCELSIOR."

It was about half past seven n'clock in the evening, when a youth created something of a sensation by passing throught an Alpine village, in a driving snow storm, carrying a banner upon which was inscribed the strange device, "Excelsior." His brow was sad, but his eye (according to all accounts he had but one eye) flashed like a falchion from its sheath, while he pushed on looking neither to the right nor left, but not forgetting to call loudly, "Excelsior." At first the villagers thought he had been drinking, and a policeman was started on his track, but finding there was nothing disorderly in the boy's conduct he was permitted to go his way unmolested. In happy homes the young fellow saw the light of household fires gleam warm and cheery, although coal was away up out of all reasons, as it always is in cold weather, above, the pectral glaciers shone, and from his ips escaped a sigh that was heard all over town, to this effect, "Excelsior!"
"Try not the pass," the old man said

"I've lived here for ninety years; I'm the oldest inhabitant, an' I never saw the signs more favorable for a big storm. Besides, the roarin' torrent is wide and deep, an' if you get across you can't get back for a week, unless you go around by Rabbithash an' cross on the bridge. Take my advice young feller, an' stop over night, you'll find the Washington, right over the way, the cheapest house in town. Shall I take your baggage?" The boy turned up another street, indicating that he in tended to climb the hill on the west side of town,

"Oh, stay," the maiden said, "and rest your weary head upon this breast." And right here the conduct of the young man becomes inexplicable. He did not accept the maiden's invitation, although she was comely, about sixteen years of age, and evidently belonged to the best society. He simply said that he was in a hurry, and would probably stop the next time he was in town. The maiden passed into the house, slammed the door, and remarked to her mother, if she ever offered to assist a man in distress again she hoped she might be blessed. The young lady was quite indignant indeed.

Beware the pine-tree's withered branch! Beware the"

"Oh, give us a rest!" screamed the boy, who was getting out of patience, and the well-meaning peasant retired without completing the warning, which was no doubt something about "the awful avalanche."

At break of day, as heavenward the nious monks of St. Bernard uttered the oft-repeated prayer, they were startled nay, shocked, to hear a young man shouting, "Excelsior," and cursing the country black and blue for being the roughest, coldest and most forbidding of any he had seen since he left New Jersey. "How far is it to the next village?" he asked "for I have something here that will knock the socks off of anything in this country." With that he passed on, still grasping in his hand of ice that banner with the strange device, while in the other hand he carried a little tin box labeled, "Excelsior Corn and Bunion Eradicator."-Oil City Derrick.

It may afford a crumb of comfort to GREAT Americ er agriculturists who are dreading the results of over-production to know that English writers like Mr. Caird have forcibly summed up the broad view of the present state of mat-ters when they tell us that quite one-half of each loaf consumed in England is of foreign origin; that one fourth part of their whole meat and dury produce comes to them from across the sea, and that almost the entire miditions which may hereafter be sought to fill the ever-multiplying mouths of their CIRCULARS, dense population must be drawn from

The Desired rive Products of that insidious for to life and health, Scrotula may be arrested by the aid of Scovict BLOOD AND LIVER STREET, a botan e de purent which rids the system of every trace of scrofulous or syphilitic posessi and cures eruptive and other diseases in dicative of a tainted condition of the blood. Among the maladies which is remedies are white swelling, salt then a earbuncles, biliousness, the discases in cident to women, gout and theumstism sold by S. M. Irwin, the live dringuist. Dec 28-a&w1w

It will pay you to look at Bober & Baker's stock of Bonts and Shoes before Sept 21 -d&wif purchasing.

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None Such - All the latest clearning, unique and attractive styles of Ladies' 19ct * d&wif

Slippers, at Ferris's. A Large Stock of Plated and Fancy

dewelry you can buy cheap at Dec. 18-d&wtf Gorn Der. 18-d&wiff Gorpin is 's. All FLANKELS your own prices.

Men's, boys' and youths' over-roats--best in the market-at

dec2d&wim| Elliott &Anderson's More bargains in beliday goods, at J. | M. Stookey & Co's Don't fail to look in Popular New Yor't Store there before purchasing dered dif her an dawrif

TO MADNESS

The "Boss Clothier."



That little volcano, whose crater contains some shouldy clothing, lots MATSHUSHEK of venore, and any amount of wind, has at last

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and the ceremony is performed by B. STINE, showing the good people, by our past busine record of 15 years' standing, that we have stood the test in building up a first-class reputation worthy the armounes partnersee at the lands of our customers, notwith-tanding the HOWLIN and BARKING OF OUR MAD COMPETITORS.

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All wood, plain (and dagonal Heavers, cluborately trimmed, at \$9 and \$10, reduced from \$15 and \$16; reduced from \$15 and \$16; \$14 and \$20 Chitake down to \$11 and \$12; all-wood Chitake (Thales, morely trimmed, at \$6; reduced from \$10

--BLANKETS.--Extra large all word Western Blankets at \$5.55; incore prices, \$9.90. Extra large, buty, at \$145, reduced from \$5.0 *All \$3.00 and \$440. Blanket-reduced to \$1.55, \$2.00 and \$2.75 a pair.

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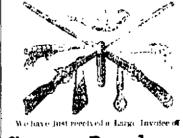
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IN BANKRUPTCY-NO. 2260.

the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Ritness. n the matter of Julius H. Vennigerholz,bank

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a petiA tion has been filed in said court by said
Julius H. Vennigerholz, of Deceaur, in the
country of Macon, in said district, duly declarred bankrupt under the act of Congress of
March 24, 1897, and the amendments therefor,
for a discharge and certificate thereof, 70m all
lifs debts and other claims provable under said
act, and that the 25th day of January, A. B.
1879, at eleven o'clock A. M., is assigned for
the hearing of the same by the said owner, at
the United States Court floom in the City of
Springfield, when and where all creditors of
said bankrupt, and all other persons in Interest, may attend and show cause, if any they
have, why the prayer of said petitioner should
not be granted. GEO, P. BOWEN, Clerk,
W. C. Johns, Aftorney for Petitioner.
Date at Springheld, Doc. 19th, 1878.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

A correct in the property of the setter of frank B. Green, of Decadur, Blinds, on the shiday of Decadure, Blinds, on the Shiday of Decadure, A. D. 1878. All persons knowing themselves indebted to him, will call upon me and make immediate actilement And all creditors of the said brank B. Green, are hereby multied to present their claims under ooth or affirmation to me within three months from this date, in the county court of Macen county, Illinois. months from this date, in the county Courty, Macen county, Hittons, Will.IAM W. FOSTER, Assignee, Dated December 6, 1878 daw

EXECUTORS' NOTICE. Estate of BENJAMIN SAWTER, deceased

DUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all peraona having claims and demands against
the estate of Benjamin Sawyer, deceased, to
present the same for adjudgation and settlement at a regular term of the county court of
Macon county, to be holden at the count-house,
in the city of Decatur, on the second Monday of
February, JA. D. 1877, being the first day of said
term.

in the city of February, [A. D. 1877, Denies — February, [A. D. 1877, Denies — Decatur, III. "Dec. 10, A. D. 1878.

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WM. SAWYER.

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WE NOW MANUFACTURE AND HAVE. Pare Cider and White Wine Vinegar FOR THE TRADE.

We pay Cash for Hard Cider and fullen applies letivered at our Factory opposite our brawers in South Broadway, Decator, Illinoiss Harpstrite & Schlaudeman.

May # -412 ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Macon.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Macon,
In the Circuit Court to the May Term, A. D.
1879
William J. Brown vs. James M. House and
Hosanna House,
A FFIDAVIT of the non-residence of James
A. M. House and Rosanna House, defendants in the above cuttled cause, having been
died in the office of the clerk of the circuit
court of said county and state; therefore pubito notice is hereby given to the said James M.
House and Rosanna House, that William J.
Brown has commenced a suit against the
cetate of the said James M. House and Rosanna
House for the sum of fifty dollars, and that the
same is now pending before the circuit court
of Macon county, State of Illinois, at the May
lerm, A. D. 1879.
Now which you, the said James M. House
and Hosanna House, shall personally be and
appear before the term of the circuit court
to be held at the Court House, in the city of
Decatur, in said county and State, on the secoud Monday in May, A. D. 1879, give ball and
plead within the time limited for your appearunce in such case, Judgment will be outered
signing you, and the estate attached will be
sold.

E. McCl.Ell.LaM Clerk.

BD. B. McDonalm, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Drc. 21, 1879—daw

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o: Aten, mainsom THE REDAY EVENING, TANCARY 2, 1879.

THE New York Herald sets apart a column or two of space, which it styles the "Herald Complaint Book." In these columns all sorts of people pour out their complaints upon all sorts of subjects. Is a policimum or a railroad employe impudent or unaccommodating. he finds himself entered in the complaint book. The convict in the penitentiary, the inmate of the insane asylam, the pupils in the public schools, know as an able man, a sincere patriot, the draft, and the amount already ig everybody, in fact, finds here ready access to the public car, and in the Herald reportorial force willing investiga- has been more warmly endorsed at the that already on fire. The burning portors of all alleged delinquencies or polls than almost any other public man, tion will partially maintain the heat, derelictions of duty. The Herald, speaking editorially of this department says: Through it "dirty streets are promptly swept, garbage boxes are umptied, dangerous pavements are repaired, annoyances on the cars and ferry boats receive attention, insolent ruffians are subdued, innocent people are protected, imposters are exposed, for any office, and indeed before the are regulated, indolent policemen are disciplined, and a thousand trifling evils are corrected." THE government received for taxes

on spirits for the year just closed \$50,-500,000-about one dollar for every man, woman, and child.

THE President is reported to be very hopeful over the business outlook. He is satisfied that there will be no serious effort made by Wall street to embarrass the Secretary of the Treasury, in his resumption policy, and expresses the opinion that greenbacks will soon command a premium in gold.

THE Cincinnati Times, in an article on the gubernatorial question in Ohio, says: "The people of Ohio will be equally content whether their Governor is named Charles Foster or Charles Grosycuor, provided only they are assured that General Garfield will be Senator in place of Thurman when his term expires, and that Secretary Sherman shall be our next President.

THE whole number of Indians in the United States, not including those in Alaska, is estimated at 278,000. The whole number of schools among them is 330; scholars, 11,515. Amount spent for their education the last year, \$337,379. Number of church members, 28,000. Land cultivated, 292,500 acres. Bushels of wheat raised, 663. 278; of corn, 4,656,951; of cats and barley, 349,247. In all these statistics indicating civilization, they have increased from six to tonfold the last ten NOTWITHSTANDING the denial that

he is a candidate, some papers continue to connect the name of the Hon. E. B. Washburne with the Berlin mission. The Inter-Ocean has the very highest authority for saying that under no cir-cumstances would. Mr. Washburne necept the position if tendered him. He lived abroad as long as he desired There is, perhaps, no country in which he would be more willing to represent his native land than Germany, but he prefers America and how to even that. lamo politicians would, perhaps, be glad to see Mr. Washburne pensioned off in Europe, but the people are glad to have him remain here.

THE New York Times notes the fact that 1878 was the most important year in the history of modern missions. In India, where more than a half century of work seemed to have made little impression on the Hindoos, there has been the largest movement toward Christianity that Protestantism has ever witnessed in heathendom. The Society for the Propagation of the Gospe (High Church Anglican) has had an ac cession of no less than 22,000, the Dutch Reformed Mission one of 6,000, the American Baptist Mission of nearly 10,000, and the Church Missionary Society (Low Church Anglican) of 119 families. Tous in one year about 40,-000 Hindoos have renounced heathenism and embraced Christianity, and apparently this is only the beginning of a great movement.

THE New York Sun notices that notwithstanding the recent exposures of arsenic preparations in so many of the products of industry, its employment in this way appears to be actually extending. A large quantity still goes into fabrics, it is ascertained, containing this substance, which is found alike in white, blue, red, yellow, green and other colors, the pale tints frequently containing more than the most brilliant. It is also used in tickets, paper curtains, covers of boxes, packages made for confectionery, and other papers. Arsenic, as well as other poisons, is likewise now used in the coloring matter of ladies' dresses, gentlemen's underclothing. socks, hat licings, lining of boots and shoes, and is found in woolens, silks, cottons and leather. As many as eight grains of it have been found in each source foot of a dress, and as many as ten grains have been detected in a single artificial flower. But then there is nothing like getting used to a thing.

MISS CRIESTE WINARS, of Bultimore, is and to be the richest young lady in America. She inherited \$20,000,000 from her

ther.

A Good Stack Farm for Hale. Laquire

Swayre & Box, Philadelphia. J Q. A. Odor. [Nov11d3mos April 28, 1878—different

THE SENATORIAL CONTEST.

A correspondent of the Bloomington Pantagraph, in discussing the senatorial question, gives the following sketch of Senator Oglesby, and the reasons

why he should be his own successor: The question, who shall succeed lov. Ogleshy in the United States we offer a few common sense sugges-Senate, is one which concerns not alone tions, which may be new to some of the members of our State Legislature. The selection of a Senator is a sacred on, who have not given thought to the trust, exercised by the Logislative body for, and in behalf of the people, and or furnace it is customary to dash in a for the manner in which that trust is exercised the Legislature is accountable to the people at large

An effort is making to repudiate Souator ()glesby, one whom the people a veteran Republican, a gallant soldier, nited. Often the fire vexational and one who, whenever his name has come before the people of this State, ling all the fresh coal upon half or so of Is such a man to be commanded to will keep up a draft, and rapidly excand aside merely to satisfy the per tend through the fresh coal. When onal ambition, and soothe the wounded Lopes, of the candidate of certain politicians who do not represent the scuti meat of the people of the State? Oglesby was one of the earliest of

the cause of that party from principle

several years before he was a candidate

delayed mails are quickened, railroads success of the party had made office possible. His public career began in 1860, when he was elected to the State senate in a district of which McLean county formed a part, after one of the most brilliant and thorough canvasses by having several fire-boxes under the ever made in the State. He was one of the first men to offer his services as at a time. a soldier, and was elected colonel of the 8th Bijnois Infantry, a regiment be started aftesh by first adding a little which did gallant service in the war for the Union. At the battle of Corinth of dry wood, if needed, and covering all Governor Oglesby received a painful wound. He was brought home and narrowly escaped death as the result of his injuries. While yet scarcely able to walk or stand, at one of the darkest periods of the rebellion, he went to Springfield and delivered a Union speech which electrified the whole State and gave heart to the flagging cause.

After partially recovering his strength he returned to the army, but, being still hear in one place, at the middle of the feeble, he was detailed as judge advo- grating; when well started, put over it cate to try the case of Surgeon General a little fine coal, and cover all the rest Hammond at Washington, which are a left the grate with at least coal enough ous duty he performed with entire atis faction. In May, 1864, he received the Re-

publican nomination for Governor, and in the brilliant canvass that followed he if the kindlings were spread out so as to spoke in nearly every county, and earried the State by a larger majority than Mr. Lincoln! As Governor of the State he served with distinguished ability, at the expiration of his term, in 1869. was a candidate for U.S. Senator, at which time Logan was elected. He in length, and split fine-all the kindthen returned to private life until 1872 ling in one pretty compact mass. The when, without solicitation on his part, he was by the unanimous voice of the hard coal. When the draft is not Republican party renominated for the strong, or one is in haste, cover all the office of Governor, making before the grating with a few thicknesses of waste State convention one of the most effect newspaper, or any coarse paper, with tive speeches that was made during the campaign. He was elected by a large the kindlings. This will concentrate majority. At the following session of the draft at that point, and greatly the Logislature he was chosen United hasten ignition. The paper will burn States Senator by the manimum vote off as the fire spreads, and admit the banks distillery, the largest works of of the Republican members, which air to other points. position he was ever since held.

Four years ago when Gen Logan was a canculate for re-election, Gov. Oglesby was one of that gentleman's most ardent supporters, and friends. With this record, made up not of

words, but of deeds, and written largely. in his own blood, it is now a pertinent question why Gov. Orlesby should be repudiated, and his office and honors heat adapted to the weather, or to the tance, and fell through the roof of a given to another. The legislature find rooms to be warmed. We prefer a cuttle-shed with no injury to the cattle. Burning coals were thrown to the roof can be given for his removal he should mace, and in the cookstove even, the of another shed several hundred feet be retained. Gen. Logan has already burning portion or surface to be con- away, setting it on fire and destroying received a large measure of the public tracted or regulated as above, we then it, but all the cattle in the shed were favor. His persistency and the uncompromising rashnes of his friends resulted two years ago in the election of an independent from this Republican State If Mr. Logan's term were now expiring of the grating as desired we should have nothing to say against i his re-election; but it savors strongly of ingratitude to turn out an efficient and veteran servant of the public merely because another man would like to have

WORDS OF WARNING.

During the present year, as in the oast the grave wall close over thots ends, simp the grave wall close over those ands, simply because they neglect the means which would restore them to be 1th. Meet the fell destroyer at the threshold, and dispute his invasion by that more than won derful medicine, for Morris' Syrup of Tar. Wild Cherry and Horchound There is no cough or cold, ease of asthma, bronchilds, blood sputting, wealt lungs, croop or whooping cough which will not yield more readily to this great ant what, remedy than any other medicine. If you remedy than any other medicine. If you would avoid dissepointment, and he speedily cured, ask your druggest for Dr. Morris. Syrup of Tar, Will Cherry and Horehound. Trial size, 10 cents. Regular sizes 50 cents and One Dollar. For seals by Dr. M. Strong Burgers, by the sale by Dr. A., J. Stoner, Druggist, Deen-Prof. Parker's Pleasant Worm Syrup is

perfectly safe - Extremely palatable. No physic required. Costs 25 cents. Try it. tients'Slippers, in every style and

price, at Barber & Baker's dec17 dawtf

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COAL FIRES-PRACTICAL HINTS. How to Manage a Coal Fire-How to Start One, and What Kind of Coal to Use.

From the American Agricultures.

So much of comfort, health and

conomy depends upon the proper manthe readers of the American Agricultur subject. In renewing a fire in a stove lut of coal, entirely covering that already on the fire. The result is a cold spell, cessation of cooking, etc., for hal an hour, more or less, depending upon the kind of coal, its size and quantity goes out. This can be avoided by pi that is well on fire, it can be spread over the whole, or, if needed, more coal can be put in on the other side, leaving the new coal well burning. In this way a continuous heat can be mainthe Illinois Republicans. He esponsed tained, with far less risk of extinguishing what we have. This may seem small matter, but it will often contrib ute a great deal to comfort, and often save weak or sickly or damp persons good cooking or baking. In large steamships a steady power is kept up

> When a coal fire is almost out, it can fine coal over the fire, with a bit or two around it will coal enough to concentrate the draft upon the little fire remaining.

same boiler, and replenishing only one

In starting a fire, a great point is to concentrate the draft. If kindling wood is abundant and cacap, a large quanity may be thrown in, fired, and, when well ignited, the coal thrown on freely. But usually it is better to put a little kindling in a pretty compact to turn the draft of air through the kindling point. It will burn more cortainly and more rapidly, and extend to the rest of the mass much sooner, than give no strong heat to the hard coal at any one point. The best kindling for hard coul is a few shavings or paper to eatch from the match, over this a little pine, cut short, and over this charenal, or dry hard wood only half a foot or so point is to get heat enough to ignite the some coal upon it. except right under

In mild weather much may be grates by covering a part of the grating with brick or flat stones, or clay, even, can be readily removed from any part

throught the grating is usually the most economical for all fires, even for large heating furnaces. Large lump, or egg | front of the boilers was killed. Its coal even, requires a considerable depth | mate escaped uninjured. The boilers of mass to burn well, or indeed to keep were new, only having been used 28 ienited at all.

ization was perfected and aljourned unand Bowen, from the South.

afternoon, at a point just north of Douglas Station, south of this city, the south bound way freight and the north bound stock express had a collision. The north bound train was badly wrecked and the conductor, W. R. Wright, severely injured. The south bound train was also somewhat smash- that John D. Fry, a farmer, took his ed. The engines were bally wrecked. Wife to Lafayette, Ind., and induced

ings, Cuffs and Callars, in sets, and with- to go alone to the hotel, where, to her out sets, and lace s, is, all fresh new goods, the latest styles, a suitable and useful \$5, and telling her to go home her present, you can find the largest stock at child had been carried off by John W. the lowest prices at Galpurade Dec. 18-4&wtf

olace at Guldburg'a Dec. 18-d&wtf The Old Pominion Buck Gloves, Micis.

and Gaunthets, for ladies and gents, are feduced in price, and are the best gloves on the American continent, at any price. To be had only of Lays & Semions Oct 31-dif

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agement of coal fires during winter that | How it was Welcomed at Washington.

THE NEW YEAR.

Death of Judge Sherman, of Cleveland.

CRIMINAL AND OTHER NEWS.

advent of the new year was generally observed. The principal point of attraction was the Executive Mansion, where the reception of guests commenced at 11 o'clock. In company with the President were Vice President Wheeler, Mrs. Hayes; Mrs. Jewett, of Chicago; Mrs. Austin, of Cleveland; Mrs. Hastings; Mrs. Anderson, of Cincinnati: the Misses Scott, Mrs. Woodworth and Mrs. Andrews. Rarely, if ever before, has the Vice President received with the President on such ocfrom taking or increasing a cold. In casions. The only Cabinet absence the kitchen it may save the spoiling of was Secretary Sherman, who was informed by telegraph this morning of the death of his brother. He had ealled, however, before the reception commenced, to inform the President of his bereavement. The British Legation. being in mourning, was not represented. Nearly all the members of the Diplomatie Corps were present. The Chinese Legation attracted the most attention, and many sought an introduction to the Embassy and its attaches. The Ministers and Secretaries, except. Mr. Bartlett, wore the Chinese dress. It was their first visit on a New Year's occasion, and they were evidently much pleased with the attentions bestowed upon them. All the Judges of the U. S. Surreme Court with the exception of Justice Clifford, who is on a visit to Richmond, and the Judges of the Court of Claims, the Southern Claims Commissions and Court for the District of Columbia were present with their ladies. Nearly all members of Congress now in Washington called to pay their respects. to the President and Vice President. The attendance of officers of the army was unusually large. Gen. Sherman was not present. The navy was well represented, as were also all classes of officers and employes under the Government, and public generally.

The death of Judge Sherman, of Cleveland, was a sad New Year's surprise to the members of the Government. The deceased was a brother to Secretary Sherman, and father of Mrs. Senator Cameron, of Pennsylvania. The receptions intended by the ladies of PICKLE JARS, single and double; general teeling of gloom overspread the | CARD RECEIVERS; entire Cabinet circle.

TERRE HAUTE, Jan. 1. 4 A terrible.

disaster happened at Hulman & Fairthe kind in the world, at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon. A battery of three of saved in large stoves or furnaces or the twelve boilers used there blew up with a terrific force, blowing the boiler house to atoms, scattering the debris in or by covering part of the coal with fine all directions to a great distance, and ashes, so that the draft of air can only throwing a portion of one boiler in a pass through a part of it. A little skill field neross the Wabash. Another and care in this will effect a great say- landed in a lot half a unic away. An ing of fact, and supply an amount of other went up in the air to a great dishave ample room for a large fire when rescued. William Day, a colored foreit is wanted in extreme cold weather, or man, aged twenty five, married, and for any emergency. The brick or clay Franklin Hughes, a white slop boy. aged nineteen, were instantly killed of the grating as desired and shockingly mangled. Herman The smallest coal that will not drop Meyers, a fireman, and a teamster named Crowder, were also badly injured A horse attached to a coal wagon in days, and the disaster is attributed to neglect by the attendants in keeping up-DENVER, Col. Jan. 1. - The Legisla- a sufficient water supply. The shoel. ture met to-day, with about seventy was felt in all parts of the city, and the members present. A temporary organ- report was heard a mile off. Intense excitement was created here. Breat til to morrow at noon. The Seastorial damage was done, but the man build-contest is running high, and every day ing, with nine boilers, escaped all indeeds to the strength of N. P. Hill. The july. It is a wonder so few men were other leading candidates are Chilcott injured of about 150 employed there. There will be no stoppage in the busi-Anna, I.L., Jan. 1.—On yesterday ness, but it will continue at full capacity. The loss is estimated at \$10,000

fully insured. CHAMPAIGN, Jan. 1.—Considerable excitement has been created in the country, a few miles from here, by an alleged case of kidnapping. It is stated her to go with him in the city, leaving Silk Handkerchiefs, Tas, Bows, Ruch- her child at a hotel. He then left her amazement, she found a note enclosing Fry and his wife, cousins of John D.
Fry, who left word that they had gone to Canada. Alone and heart-broken the deserted woman arrived here last Sunday morning. The case was put into the hands of John F. Rittenhouse, who this morning arrived with the three parties and the child. He captured them at some point in Ohio. They will have a hearing to-morrow.

Is China there are over 800,000,000 of population—and more murders committed in one month in the United States than in China the same length of time.

ESTATE OF LOT KILDOTT.

E Fry and his wife, consins of John D. Corsets, Ladies Underwear moring to Canada, Alone and heart-broken Tam now cured, a source and hearty man, between the same and muslin, Hosiery and Gleves, Knit Sunday morning. The case was put forters, EM Hallouvence, Philadelphia. Over can find the goods cheaper than any other who this morning arrived with the

An Undniable Truth.

a miserable unsatisfactory life in this benutiful world, it is entirely your own fault and there is only one excuse for you—your unreasonable prejudice and Skepticism, which has killed thousands. Personal knowledge and common sense reasoning will soon show you that threen's August Flower will cure you of Liver Complaint, or Dyspepsia, with all its miserable effects, such as sick-hendache, palpitation of the heart, sour stomach, hibbtual costiveness, dizzness of the head, nervous prostration, low spirits, You deserve to suffer, and if you lead naminal costiveness, dizziness of the head, nervous prostration, low spirits, etc. Its sale now reaches every town on the Western Continent, and not a drug-gied but will tell you of its wonderful cures. You can buy a sample bottle for 10 cents. Three doses will relieve you. Arg. 8 dawcot

a great variety of articles in his store suitable for Christmas gifts, such as fancy easy chairs, ottomans, brackets, and an endless variety too numerous to mention, any and all of which will be exchanged WASHINGTON, D. C. Jan. I.-The for each or such second-hand articles as Red purchasers may wish to dispose of

Beautiful presents, such as cameo sets for ladies and misses, cameo cuff buttons and rings of all sizes, at W. W. Scudder's, Merchant street (dec23-d1w

men tobacco, when they can buy Marburg Bros. 'Scal of North Carolina' at the same jan11'78-d1v

tree's Adjustable, Foy's Supporter, Mooest French Corsets in the city, at

Nuts, Grapes, Buckwheat Flour, Maple Syrup, and everything in the grocery line, Dec. 19 dif

can be supplied at Dec. 18-d&wtf

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CRADLES, BEDSTEADS, Girls' ROCKERS, BOYS' ROCKING HORSES:

KETS, and BASKETS for almost all uses;

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Elegant Bronze TABLE LAMPS. laff price; And hundreds of other ornamental and

useful articles that for want of space in the columns of this paper I cannot reention. ONE WORD MORE-I am deter-

mined to reduce my Immense Stock of Goods, and will sell without regard to ing of

Court House Block.

Choustmas is coming, and Ashby bas Dec. 5--d&wff

Query:-" Why will men smoke com-

The Patent Corset Comforts-Bor-

dy's Abdominal, Glove Fitting, Hundred Bones, together with the best and cheap-Jan. 23-d&wif Linn & Schools.
Turkeys, Oysters, Oranges, Lemons,

If you want mill feed, corn or oats, you SHELLADARGER'S.

less Skates-no heel platers, no keys, no straps-can be put on in a second. For sale at H MURLLER & Co.'s gun store,

Silver Plated Casters,

these families were abandoned, and a KNIVES and FORKS, triple plate; SILVER MOUNTED FRUIT BOWLS;

A new article of solid steel nickel

RECEIVERS; CHINA MUSTÁCHE CUPS:

All sizes—china and wax; A Job lot of large WAX DOLLS, at half price;

WORK BAŚKETS, CARD BAS-

Children's KNIVES and FORKS;

profit. You can have bargains by buy-R. LIDDLE,

Notice of Final Settlement. STATE OF ILLINOIS, | 88

Macon County, (88 ESTATE OF LOT KILLOTT.

CLOAKS. Dolmans.

Ulster Cloth,

Circular " Ladies' Plain Beaver. Rough Raritan " Matalasse " Cassimeres. Jeans, PLAID FLANNELS,

White " Opera Table Linens. Irish Napkins, Towels, Quilts.

Dec. 18, 1878---1&w3mos



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Before Taking Abuse; as Loss After Taking, or Memour, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dinness of Vision Prematires Old Aor, and many other discusses that lead to insaulty, Consumption and a Premature Grave, all of which as a rule are first emosely devising from the path of nature and over-indulgence. The Specific Medeline is the result of a life sundy and many years of experience in treating those special discusses.

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Administrator's Notice.

Estate of William Sawter, Br., decemed.

Estate of William Nawthi, Sr., decembed.

Dublic Notice is hereby given to all personal states of William Sawyer, Sr., decembed, to present the same for shipulcation and settiment at a regular term of the county court of Macon county, to be holden at the count-house, in the city of because, on the second Monday of February, A. D. 1879, being the first day of said term. erre,
Decatur, Ill., Dec. 10, A. D. 1978,
RENJAMIN O. MCREYNOLDS,
Dec. 10-03w
Administrator,

Skates! Skates !!-Buy Harney & Herry's, the only first-class skate in the market, for sale at H. Muzzian & Co.'s gun store, East Main street. | | decileif



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DECATUR, ILLINOIS. Ties, #1 diw Petition to Sell Real Estate.

STATE OF ILLINOIS,

STATE OF ILLINOIS. [88]
In the County Centr of Macon county, December Term, A. B. 1878.

Frank I. Wood administrator of the estate of Irene Branstetter, discussed, as Mary Sec. cer. James M. Walton, Charles R. Eigin, Marth Blgin, Plora M. Walton, Charles R. Eigin, Marth Blgin, Plora M. Walton, Charles R. Eigin, Marth Blgin, Plora M. Walton and Mary I. Walton A. FFIDAVIT of the non-residence of James M. Walton, defendants above-named, having been flied in the office of the clerk of the county of Macon. Notice hereity given to you, the seld James M. Walton, the county of Macon. Notice hereity given to you, the seld James M. Walton, that the above-named Frank L. Wood, administrator of the centre of Trene Brancetter, late of said county, deceased, filed his petition in second to the September of the said deceased to be debts of said evidet; that said county in the August term, A. D. 1878, of said court; that summers was issued out of said court; that summers was issued term, 10, 1878, of said court. Now therefore, unless you the said petition the above-named defendants, returnable in the August term, 1878, of said court. Now therefore, unless you the said petition of December on the Third Monday in the month of December of the proposal proposal plant, in said county, on the Third Monday in the month of December of the payer of said petition.

HENRY W. WAGGONER, Cark A. B. Burn, Attorney for Postitioner December 18.

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The Daily Republican.
THURSDAY EVENING, JANUARY, 2, 1879
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CITY DEPARTMENT.

WE are authorised to announce JOHNe.A. BRUCK WAY as a candidate for City Marshal at the ensuing municipal election,

Go to the Tabernacle to-night CIRCUIT COURT resumed business this

GOVERNMENT resumes to-day, but there

are lots of people who don't Mont new bargains dally, at J M Stoo-

key & Co's dec20 dtf los packers are getting eight inch ice as

clear as crystal Good enough An extensive assortment of gloves, mittens and hostery, at Lhrman s

REMEMBER, the place to buy slippers is at Barber & Baker's der 17dawtf THE theory of voting at the tabernacle

is to vote early and often, and to cast a

pile of votes at a time to to the Tubernacle to night You so Buos are well fixed for the hol-

thy trade Call and see Dr. 19 dtf

ment as they were of the predictions by the weather prophets of a cold winter -There is rather too much verification

Lyraynov, look at Barber & Baker.

Miran a bread and pastry are A. No. 1, avail housekeepers who have tried them very well know Dox r forget that Ehrman's merchant

tailoring establishment makes up garments and suits from the best piece goods in the market at low prices.

C B Prescotts is the place to buy a has Pain or Organ for a Christmas prisdie 20dAwif

Go to the Tabernacie to night

to day, but nevertheless the frost on the windows would not budge, except where the sun had a fair chance at them

that C. B. Prescott is selling so the ap-Nov 35 dawtf Ir you want choice ham or become

anything in the grocery or provision har, call at Nudermyers, at the corner of Eldorado and Monroe streets the mercury stood at 20 degrees below

zero this morning at 7 o clock in several places in the city which is about 0 degrees lower than it has fallen on any previous YESTERDAY forenoon predictions of runwere quite plenty, but we have not found a single prophet to day who was wil-

ling to risk his reputation so far as t predict rain before to morrow morning. THERE will be preaching at 7 o clock to night it the 1st M I church and all thought to this office.

are cordually invited. The intering buls fair to be continued for some time yet. Conothe Palietracie to night

SHEL ABARGERS patent process flour half the labor in biking, and more bread to the poind than any other flour ever sold here Dec 18 dawif

fire is dian bind played for a large party of Turner's Hall, in Lovington, on New Year viewe, managed by Mr. Edward Butler of that place. The invitations. read ' The Decator It drin Or brotter will furnish the music 50'

The se is plenty of contact the talicina cle to lay and firemen enough to feed the stoves, so that nobody much fear that the house will not be comfortable for the fair this evening. The stores are kept at a red heat and the room is comfortable in any part of at

Amr & Locks are fully prepared to fill orders for carpet goods to any extent Making this an exclusive business they on get special rates with manufacturers. the benefits of which are realized by purchasers in the low price at which goods are sold in this house.

(i) to the Tabernach to night

Tue 'King of Niantic' paid the Hotel de Adams on early call last evening and found the landford so interesting and the apartments so comfortable and attractive that he remained over night. He naw Peake this morning and agreed to settle

Say rear gentlemen complain that they came mar periabling last night in getting past is and others and without excephome from business on account of the snow, which was driven against their faces by the cutting wind which prevail ed. A more trying night in which to be out a seldom experienced in this part of

Fux fact that winter is one third gone so far us the months are concerned, fur nishes no assurance that the same proper tion of cold days is past, and it may be well for those who are needing more heat ing apparatus to insure them comfort for the balance of the winter to call at Crock ers without delay and get the advantage of the exceedingly low prices at which he is selling his superior stock of stoves for wood and coal

Gono the Tabernacle to night

FUNERAL NOTICE -The funeral of Mins. Mary A Clerk will take place from the Presbyterian Church, on Friday after mean at 2 o clock, Rev W H Prestley officer ting. Friends of the family are invited.

PRPIIMINANT HEARING Mr Elwind

Go to the Tabernacie to night

Big l'at Oysters -One dozen, in any *lyle, only 23 cents half dezen, only 15 THE OYSTER BAY

THE TABERNACLE FAIR. Increased Attendance — Probability of Continuing the Postival until Friday Night.

The temperance fair and festival got a good start Tuesday evening, and there was a much larger crowd out last night,

aggregating 1,000 The voting on various articles mentioned in yesterday's Republican was very

Mrs David Priest and Mrs J A Bar ney are running for the beautiful scalskin hat donated by Linn & Scruggs

The "Post Office" side show is very attractive especially to young ladies and gents, who are required to pay five cents postage on every letter received.

The following is a sample of the letters besued from this department.

"Dreature, Jan 1, 1870

My Demest Dear -I am dying for one sweet kiss from your burning lips Can you deny me." hours lovingly,

KATE

I we beautiful bronze lamps have been donated by T H Wingate, of the Decatur lamp store, which will be disposed of in some manner not yet determined

It is expected that the interest in the voting to night will be so great that it will be necessary to continue the fair The prople are not making as much | until to morrow night. If such he the case due announcement will be made.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE.

A Pleasant Party on North Water Street Last Night

Filix M. Gaixer the North Water street butcher was born thirty six years ngo yesterday and last evening about eventy hve of his more intimate friends met at the residence of his sister, Mis Al Dohl, and from thence proceeded to the rest dence of Mr Carver, who was wholly ignorant of the intended invation. When he burned of the approach of the platy he made a rush for the back loor but was soon overhauled by Harvey Downing and Al De hi who brought the cunaway Process have kept their fires booming onto the presence of his firends perfectly subdued and to medel to the mexitable The even me was passed in pleas ant social that and accusing games. At 10 octork Reserved the large stock of Organs abountful supperwas served embracing everything that could please in beautify the most facilities. Mr. Garver was the happy to great of many useful and valuthe birtladay presents. Altogether it was ru of the most enjoyable surprises of the esson, in I will long be remembered with the pleasurtest recoil ctions, especially by lette in this father Mr. David Gui ver who were among the gave tof the

The Brantings was readmore fithis morning by a libital supply of delicious cike - six different kinds - If baked by Mrs. VIDe nº whose is pulation as a pastry cook is one of the best among his acquanteries who have time industrin ucorded her the highest pinise. The and less had on our table are certainly about the finest and most toothsome ever

Lift DiPriw Receiving - A very onjoyable suppose was respectated on Mr and Mrs H Clay DePew list night, at their phessant home on North Edward stret. The afterway order the manage. ment of Mrs. Lena Murphy, at whose surrestion about 30 chapter and at Mrs. Philip Bury's at eight o clock when the party formed in line and invided the premises of the before mentioned married

coupe taking full pass ssion. The allers were nextly entertuned and the evening weep issid this grid games, pleasant conversa an and doneing to excellent music furnished by the Rahan band. The refreshments were as plentiful and to hisport. By order of the Carrais. charming as the smiles of the ladies who served them and tooth one to a degree The company separated for home at 130

Remotors Manages - Intrasting to ligious services were held in all the chur hes list evening. At the Bethel a protracted meeting is in progress, which opened on the night of the list a'temo. and will continue for a week or more ---The micking last night was a very pater. esting one. At the Inst M. E. Church. the revival meetings are still in progress. and last evening the interest was fully equal to that of any previous might. We dso hear favorable reports from the prayer meetings at the other churches --The fact of it being the hist day of the new year furnished occasion for interest. ing in lampressive remarks from the tion the services at the several churches extraced in carnestness on the part of the members quite unusual, and purposes of mere used devotion to christian work were

expressed by many WE KILLD HIM ON THE SPOT -- The old was not severe enough this in orning hibiting in durity belong ng to your and to frighten oil the veteran punster who has so narrowly escaped death at our hands on former occasions. He came into our office about non-ocicik, his cars white with frost and an seru-colored icult hanging from each nostril. As soon as he could command breath enough he shive in 1v inquired. Do you know what in ikes it so cold this morning? Giving him the negative toply which he aiwaya expecta, he proceeded to answer his own conuncture "Because the Sundidn teome out ! The verdict of the coroners jury was, "Justifiable homicide"

Funeral when the weather gets moderate upon the lades in town, the operator

purpose buy an Excelsior Duary, at J M of a malarial type Stookey & Co #

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.

Supplemented by a Peast.

Last evening the Knights of Pythias in stalled their officers for the easuing six months, the gentlemen named below being inducted into the responsible position to which they had previously been elected J G Butt, P C . Henry McClellan, C.C. W. J. Hamilton, B.C. W. W. Swearingen, P , W A Dennis, M of E , H F Dillebunt, M of F , C M Durfce, K. of R S J M Hughes, M , 1 D

Walker, I G , J T Dyke, O G After the installation a banquet was held in the ante room, where tables were spread with all the luxuries of the sea on, to which the members of the order, with invited guests, paid a high compliment The occasion was a most agreeable one, socially, and all present enjoyed the first evening of the new year hugely Long live the noble Knights

MACON COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.

December Term, 1878.

THURSDAY, JAN 1 Court convened at 81 o'clock, and disposed of cases as follows: COMMON LAW DOCKET

Phobe Hencil et al vs Melissa Size land et al., ejectment Continued Smah J Magray vs Junes Fumbell, respass Sune order

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Hill, debt Some octer Mattia Albert vs Geo W Thomason motion Same order Anthony Stetenborough vs. the Ill M

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distress for rent Continued Michigante Punkas Saith A Paidy of al, trespiese Continued

Guy Heim vs. A. A. Lowdermilk at lath nent sime ordes Oliver B. W. Bowers vs. Prink Wal

ten attalment. Dismissed by plaintift Pelix M. Garver vs. the Millville Mutual Maine & Luc les Co covenant Con tinuid

Adjunized to 13 or lock p. m.

Cost, to Cristos - The prisoners, Murry and Nixon, who were arrested here night before list for a build my committed it Chaton, were taken to that city between hely the city mashed of that the When they were committed to the jull here an auger was found on the person of Murray which was used in several other articles, which could be ter 12 o'clock used to advantage by men of their profrasion

ORANGE

D. Price's Special Phyoning Patract of Oringe is obtained from the imest Dr. Pra. S Lemon and Vanilly Lybridge. which have become so popular.

Michilion. Rescue Hose Co. No. 1. The regular monthly meeting this (Thurs differential for the election of officers indotte important busines. Every min.

MARRIED.

At he house of the buildes mother, in Decidur, on Wednesday Jon 1, 1979 by Rea J. R. Locke, Mr. John Duagan and

DIED. On the morning of Thursday, January

2d at the residence of his parents, on West Williamstreet, Class V Pane son of Vingil II and Ellen F. Pirk in the 17th year of his age About two weeks ago to a new complanned of being unwell from which

six or lock it finished its work.

time he continued to get worse until about one week ago his disease took the firm of typhoid fexer, developing from the first alarming symptom. Excrything to careful nursing and skillful to be out fintences date was done to a construction propress or the fever but all to no usa pose-it had so floor bold union the stem that methodic of Hiprofuce compar strycly no effect and this morning the

Clare was an unusually bright, a reboy, of good habits and correct life sides obly in advance of his ardeath of so promising a son f Hs with crushing weight upon the parents and friends, who will have the emeric sympaths of their neighbors in I friends --I'wo children, a son and small danghaer, remain to the affin ted finally.

Hosts of People are Martyrs

Fosick bendacke that infallible symptom of a disordered stomach, liver and bowels. Many suffer from it is non-iny ts three or four times a week. They do so needlessly for Hostetters Stom the Bitters, by toning the digestrys organs and Ittseen, Sweederns - Farmers in this regulating the bowels and layer removes and stero in hing countries are being budy toms. The intimate sympathy between rest, with a corn kulfe and pistol, many getting memby under falst pretenses, and flercey city one day last week is having getting memby under falst pretenses, and flercey city one day last week is having getting memby under falst pretenses, and to be reflected as it were in the organ of ONF SECRETARY from the below.

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"OPEN HOUSES." New Year's Day in Decatur—The Kid Glove Brigade Make the Rounds and are Warmly Received and Entertain-ed by their Lady Friends.

in this city yesterday, most of the business houses being closed in the afternoon giving merchants, clerks, and others of the "noble caravan" an opportunity of passing the compliments of the season with their ludy friends and partake of their generous hospitalities. As announced in Tuesday's REPUBLICAN, Mrs. J Ruce and daughter, Mrs G F Wessels, Mrs D S Shellabarger and daughter, Mrs Julge Greer, Mrs E A Jones and daughters, Mrs James W. Haworth and Mis Isaac Shellabarger received their friends, as did also Mrs L Wilkinson, Mis L Burrows and daughters, Mrs W H Lian, Mrs T B Blackstone, and many others The custom is one of an nease pleasure

to those initiated, and the recurrence of cailing day' is always hailed with much delight by gents of tender years, and those whose gray beards and high fore heads denote that "New Years" and all that the term implies is not altogether arm to them. PERSONAL MENTION.

Aten Lytic and George Moeller made the rounds yesterday, which may account for their unusual listlessness to day

J R Race & Co sestablishment was well represented at the DcPew reception last evening | Four gentlemen from that house filled up one quadrille, while anoth er acted as prompter We are happy to learn that the two

referred to in these columns yesterday, are britter to day Mr and Mrs William B Moses, married on New Year's Loc, departed yesterday afternoon for their future home, Emporia,

Misses Clerk, whose severe illness was

Itansis Lider Abner Cobb, of Washington, III. gave us a c li this morning. He is here with his family visiting his father in law,

Mr A Dennis Asserted by the ladies went into ecstacies over those cligant button hole bouquets. worn by Walter Bashforth, Capt. Barrett, Frank Anderson, Charlie Challis, John Clugston and Holmes (Joyd

Charley Aikin appeared as counsel in a case in circuit court to day, and if his remarks I aled to calighten the court they fainished some amusement for the attor neys Occasional interruptions from oth or lawyers did not seem to embarrasi Charley at all

Miss Laura Linstein had more callers last night than she was looking [forabout 10 couples. It was a well planned surprise, and Miss Laura returned the compliment in entertaining her friends in her usual happy and cordial manner. The party indulged moderately in dancing to music furnished by Prof Goodman's or cutting their way into the healding Also | thestra, and reparated for home soon of

Go to the Tabernat le to might

RI MOVAL OF THE ST CLAIR MILE -The st Clui Mill is to be removed to Kansas The building and machinery are both to be transferred to the Grasshopper Stace fruit to flivor cikes, puldings and Mr J M Runcy and Mr James Belliage term at a found one of the most delle the prominent men in the operation, cious thavors, and in all respects equal to though some other parties are said to be interested in the enterprise. The exact locality for future operations has not been determined, and will depend some what upon observations to be made by the parties in interest as to where the best outlook is The wheat in stock has been bought by D/8/Shellaburger & Co.

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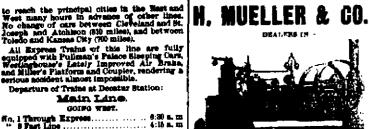
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WHRREAS, Susan L. Christic and Harlam P. Christic, of Decatur, Riinols, by their certain deed of trust learning date May lat, 1874, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Mason county, Hilmois, howk, 85, page 27, conveyed to Charles F. Emory, trasfec, the following described real earling structures of Mason county. Hilmois, howk, 85, page 27, conveyed to Charles F. Emory, trasfec, the following described real earling structure in Mason county. Hilmois, howk, 1 date signal is an incomparing the payment of the atom, back to 29, of Bandy's Addition to the City of Becatur, in trust, to secure the payment of any install ment of the city of the payment of any install ment of the payment of the payment of any install ment of the payment of the legal holder of said principal mote, and travets estall process and therefore, and payment of the legal holder of said principal mote, and the payment of the legal holder of said principal mote, and the payment of the legal holder of said principal mote, and the payment of the payment of the legal holder of said principal mote, due and payment of the payment of the legal holder of said principal mote, due and payment of the payment of the legal holder of said principal mote, due and payment of the payment

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Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, on
Friday, the 10th day of Jerrary,
A. D. 1879,
at the hour of circen o'clock A. M., and will
apply the proceeds of such sale in the manner
provided in said deed of truct, and will, upon
making sale of sald premises, execute and
deliver to the purchaser a good and sufficient
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is informed that one William Onntril cisles
an interest in said premises subject to said
deed of trust. loed of trust, CHARLES F. EMERY, Trustee, Dec. 5, 1878-6301

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WHEREAS, Mitton G, Warren and Victoria and Gauntlets, for ladies and gents, are reduced in price, and are the best gloves beauting date dependent of Minds and recording the country of Macon and Gauntlets, for ladies and gents, are reduced in price, and are the best gloves beauting date dependent of Minds and recording described prices and the country of Dacon, state of Illinois, towit: The south half of the north-west quarter of section six (d), town ship four teem (14) murth, range two (2) cast of the high west quarter of section six (d), town ship four teem (14) murth, range two (2) cast of the high west quarter, and the south fractioned half of the north-west quarter of section six (d), town ship four teem (14) murth, range two (2) cast of the high west quarter, and the south fractioned half of the north-west quarter of section six (d), town ship four teem (14) murth, range two (2) cast of the high seal minds in the country of Macon and the transport of the third principal main efficient, to secure the payment of one principal note for the sum of two thousand dollars, cavented by said Mittor and transport of the best gloves have a seal and the seal a B. F. JEFFERT, Sup't, Chicago, J. F. Tucana, Master Transportation, Chicago, C. O. JUDSON, Agent, Decatur. ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y. On and after Monday, Nov. 11th, trains will arrive and leave as follows: Bleeping Care at Terre Haute through to Cin-Binesti, New York and Philadelphia. R. J. James, General Manager, Paris, 11f. Geo. B. Buncourr, General Agent, Paris, 11s. C. B. COLE Freight Agent, Decatur, Illinois.

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at sleven o'clock A. M., at the west outside door of the court hance, in the city of becatur, Macon county, Illinois, sell and dispose of the above described permises, and all the right, title and equity of redemption of said Militon. Warren their heirs and saigns therein at public auction for cash to the highest and best highest therefor, William E. NRLHON, Trustee, B.osmber 5th, 1878—63kd STATIONS. Preight Freight Pass. Pass.

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"If a young man looks "soft," let him get drunk over night. He will look "hard" enough next-morning.

He couldn't raise the mortgage on his building lot; and so, poor man, without becoming blind, he lost his A man who had but recently left a

book publishing concern declared that he had "just got out of the work-house." "I am not particular," he remarked when the tailor refused to trust him,-

"I am not particular, but I can't be suited here." People who believe in keeping only a part of Sunday should bear in mind the injunction: "Remember the Sabbath

day, to keey it wholly." "Be polite, sonny," said the boarder to an impertinent youngster, "be polite, and, when she offers you a cup of tea, don't you take a cup and sauce 'er."

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Dec. 18-d&wtf

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THE POOR MAN'S FRIEND.

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KAUFMAN & BACHRACH

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Assignee's Sale.

THE undersigned, an algree of David M.

Lewis, bankrupt, will sell at public vendue at the residence of and bankrupt, 4 miles northwest of Decetur, on Wednesday, the life anorthwest of Decetur, on Wednesday, the life day of January, 1874, the following described property, to-wit: One Thomas Smoothing Harrow, 1 Corn Sheller, 2 three-horse Plows, 2 Cultivators, 1 four-horse Wagon, 3 sets of Harness, 25 business of Oats, 5 Stand Berspers, 1 Street Cutter, 1 Mikh Cuw, 2 Work Horses, 2 Jennets with Cotts, 6 far Hogs, 11 Shoats, 19's cords of wood, and 128 serves of corn in Seld-corn to be sold in ten-agre lots.

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THE undersigned assignes of the abovenamed bankrupt series of the Bovenamed bankrupt series of the District Charlo
of the United States for the Southern District
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state of said bankrupt at public sale, at the
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4 o'clock P. E., on Friday, the 10th day of January, 1875, for cash, all bets subject to the
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